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In re Patent Application of:
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For: SYSTEM HAVING DLC CONTACT
SURFACES, METHOD OF LUBRICATING
THE SYSTEM, AND LUBRICANT FOR THE
SYSTEM

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Applicant responds to the Office Action dated October 7, 2008 as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.